

MILITARY FACTION GETS UPPER HAND IN GERMANY

Entire South Suffers From The Extreme Cold

NORTH ALABAMA IS HIT BY BLIZZARD; MERCURY DROPS TO FIVE BELOW ZERO

SOUTH ALABAMA IS SWEEPED BY CYCLONE

Several Persons Killed and More Than Half a Hundred Injured

(International News Service.)

Montgomery, Jan. 12.—Six people were killed and about 50 injured when a cyclone struck a small settlement near Dothan, Ala., Friday afternoon.

The dead are: Marion Parker, Mae Fender, Vivian Kitchen, Hullet Box, and two unknown children. Prof. J. W. Kitching, school teacher, is dying.

It is believed the death list will reach 10 or 12 and the number of injured may go as high as 75. An unknown man was killed at Webb, 10 miles from Dothan.

The cyclone struck this section after coming through Troy. It is believed serious damage resulted in many sections of middle Alabama, where it is impossible to secure information because of the damaged telephone and telephone wires. Many persons were injured at Dothan but none seriously. The storm was at its height at Troy, 40 miles below Montgomery. One man was killed and a house was blown down.

The wind blew at a rate of from 40 to 50 miles an hour for four hours Friday afternoon.

Montgomery and Camp Sheridan are in the throes of the greatest cold spell of the winter. Many manufacturing plants, industries, stores and private homes are without lights or electric power. The Montgomery power plant was damaged by the near tornado of yesterday afternoon.

Camp Wheeler Hit by Storm and One Soldier is Killed

(International News Service.)

Camp Wheeler, Jan. 12.—Private Marvin Harris, 122 Infantry, is dead and several soldiers slightly hurt as the result of the storm which struck Camp Wheeler yesterday afternoon and continued far into the night, blowing down tents and causing a great deal of suffering. Private Harris was killed by flying timber.

The camp was struck by hail, followed by a cloudburst. The low ground in the camp was 6 feet under water. In the wholesale district at Macon, many buildings were unroofed. During the night the storm struck Camp Wheeler base hospital, blowing down 16 tents and exposing convalescents to the cold. The camp electric lights went out and candles furnished the only lights.

All Questionnaires Must be Returned by Next Wednesday

J. L. Draper, sec'y of the Morgan county exemption board, today served notice that all questionnaires must be returned to his office next Wednesday. All persons who have failed to return their questionnaires by that time will be certified as delinquents and will have lost all rights of exemption.

Mr. Draper also called attention to the fact that the men who have volunteered for the army, as well as all others with the exception of those who have been sent to the training camps by the local board, must fill out and return the questionnaires. This is a matter that is not generally understood.

Adj. Gen. Hubbard, at Montgomery, has sent out notices to all men who were summoned for examination by the county board in securing men for the first call, and who did not answer

the summons, to report for duty at Montgomery next Monday. Several Morgan county men have received these notices.

Gas Freezes Up

Owing to the gas pipes freezing up, the Daily was unable to operate its typesetting machine today. This explains why much live news matter was left out. It could not be gotten into type.

Union Service at Central Methodist

Union services will be held Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Central Methodist church. Rev. W. P. Wilks will preach.

WOMEN LOADING SHELLS FOR THE ALLIES



Portuguese women at Lisbon loading a vessel with shells for shipment to France. These shells, which weigh about 90 pounds each, are made in the munition factories of Portugal.

South and West Blizzard-Gripped

(International News Service.)

Chicago, Jan. 12.—Driven by a gale of high velocity, the worst blizzard in years is sweeping the middle west today.

From the Canadian border to the gulf and the Alleghanies to the Rockies, the country is in the grip of cold weather. Illinois, Iowa, Indiana, Kansas, Oklahoma and other Mississippi valley states are buried under a heavy snow and swept by bitter winds. Zero temperatures were reported from all sections of the middle west. All trans-continental railroads traversing the middle west are blocked by snow. Movement of fuel is almost entirely suspended and widespread suffering has resulted. In the southern section of the Mississippi valley unprecedented cold and snow is being experienced. In the munition factory sections of east Chicago and Gary, Indiana, work on war contracts are at a standstill and 20,000 men are idle. The weather forecast is for a continuation of the storm today and increasing cold tomorrow.

Another German Raider in Pacific

(International News Service.)

To'ic, Jan. 12.—Another German raider is loose in the Pacific, according to an unconfirmed report.

NEW PEACE TERMS FOR RUSSIA ONLY HAVE BEEN DRAFTED

Crisis is Bridged by Kaiser Surrendering to Autocratic Group

ANOTHER ARMISTICE IS GRANTED BY RUSS

No Fighting on West Front For the Next Thirty Days

(International News Service.)

Copenhagen, Jan. 12.—Germany has prepared terms for a separate peace with Russia along "militaristic lines," according to information received today from a reliable source. These terms are to replace the conditions for a general peace announced at Brest-Litovsk by Count Czernin on Christmas day.

If this information is correct, it means that the crisis in Germany has been bridged and that the military heads are in complete control, having swamped the moderates under threats and denunciation. The Kaiser has apparently solved the domestic problem by giving in to the military group.

The withdrawal of the original German terms of no annexations and no indemnities caused no surprise here. The belief was general that in view of the breakdown of Russia as a fighting power, the socialists in Germany would be unable to cope with the powerful pan-German and junker group.

Advices from Petrograd state that the Bolshevik war office is trying to rehabilitate the Russian army in view of the possibility of a complete break off of peace negotiations.

The armistice between Russia and the central empires has been extended for another month on all fronts.

British Destroyer Goes Down in Snow Storm

London, Jan. 12.—The foundering of the British destroyer Raccoon in a snow storm off the northern coast of Ireland was announced by the admiralty today. All members of the crew were lost. The Raccoon's crew numbered about 100 men.

Pope Calls Attention To Wilson's Address

(International News Service.)

Rome, January 12.—It was reported today but without any official confirmation that the Pope has called the attention of the German and Austrian emperors to the principles laid down by President Wilson through the nuncios at Munich and Vienna. This step was taken, it was explained, to insure serious consideration of the terms.

Prominent Citizen "Kicks in" On Morgan County Boys' Tobacco Fund

A modest citizen—of course he was an attorney-at-law, is the latest contributor to the Morgan County Boys' Tobacco Fund. He didn't want either his right hand or his neighbors to know what his left hand was doing, as he sent along \$1.50 and asked that it be credited to "currency."

Contributions to date:
"Currency".....\$1.50
George W. Russell.....\$1.00
A. L. Thurman.....\$1.00
J. J. Patterson.....\$1.00
John Sandlin.....\$2.50
Long & Abel.....\$1.00
Quality Laundry.....\$5.00
Cash.....\$1.00
J. E. Harrison.....\$1.00
J. L. Wagner.....\$1.00
J. E. Dutton.....\$1.00
Albany-Decatur Daily.....\$2.00

CAR TRAFFIC SUSPENDED

The blizzard forced the North Alabama Traction Company to suspend operations early yesterday afternoon. The cars began to stall about 5:20 o'clock and it was 7 o'clock before they were all in the barns. Many pedestrians, caught away from home, were forced to plow through the snowstorm in order to reach their abodes. It was nearly 2 o'clock this afternoon before service was resumed, some of the trolley wires in Decatur having been blown down.

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Cures for Sore Throat.
One teaspoonful of pulverized sul-
phur and two teaspoonfuls of granu-
lated sugar (taking one teaspoonful
once in four hours) will cure a sore
throat.

Spreading a cloth with lard and
sprinkling it with turpentine will also
cure a sore throat or a cold in the
chest.

Burn sulphur on an old shovel or
dust pan and carry it through the
rooms in a home and this will prevent
others from catching cold or sore
throats off one who has them.

Gargle salt and tartar for sore
throat.
Use mustard paste made of one part
mustard to three or four parts flour
for a cold or any form of larynx or
throat or chest colds.

Encourage Stammering Child.
Never laugh at a child who stam-
mers. Rather, seriously try to help him
while he is a child, for the habit grows.
Make him stop and rest a moment,
then have him repeat what he was say-
ing, very slowly, even resting between
words. This alone often corrects the
trouble. When you see that your child
is embarrassed, do not hurt him, but
wait, smiling encouragement, and when
he is more at his ease, say, softly, "now
I am ready to listen," just as if you
and not he, were the cause of the de-
lay.—Buffalo News.

While out of city we have entrusted
the collection of rents to J. A. Thorn-
hill.
Any business pertaining to insur-
ance which you may have with us,
see W. A. Bibb & Son.
Any business pertaining to loans,
see F. A. Bloodworth at Morgan Coun-
ty National Bank.
We thank you for past business and
trust that we will have a continuance
of same.

CAIN & WOLCOTT TERRIBLY SWOLLEN

Suffering Described As Torture
Relieved by Black-Draught.

Rossville, Ga.—Mrs. Kate Lee Able, of
this place, writes: "My husband is an
engineer, and once while lifting, he in-
jured himself with a piece of heavy ma-
chinery, across the abdomen. He was
so sore he could not bear to press on
himself at all, on chest or abdomen. He
weighed 165 lbs., and fell off until he
weighed 110 lbs., in two weeks.

He became constipated and it looked
like he would die. We had three different
doctors, yet with all their medicine, his
bowels failed to act. He would turn up
a ten-cent bottle of castor oil, and drink
it two or three days in succession. He
did this yet without result. We became
desperate, he suffered so. He was swollen
terribly. He told me his suffering
could only be described as torture.

I sent and bought Theodor's Black-
Draught. I made him take a big dose,
and when it began to act he fainted, he
was in such misery, but he got relief and
began to mend at once. He got well,
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same at any time on ten days'
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par value of \$5 to each person
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moral, social, political and religious
teaching built up by Confucius on the
ancient Chinese traditions, and, al-
though its author lived more than five
centuries before the birth of Christ, it
is still perpetuated as the state re-
ligion of the Chinese down to the pres-
ent day.
Confucianism is a religion without
positive revelation, says an exchange
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DISCONTINUANCE OF SUNDAY LOCAL PASSENGER TRAINS

Commencing with Sunday, January 13th, 1918, the following train service will be discontinued on Sunday ONLY

Between Birmingham and Montgomery
Train No. 12, due to leave Montgomery 7:10 a. m., arrive Birmingham 10:53 a. m.
Train No. 11, due to leave Birmingham 4:30 p. m., arrive Montgomery 8:05 p. m.

Between Birmingham and Decatur
Train No. 15, due to leave Decatur 8:30 a. m., arrive Birmingham 9:30 a. m.
Train No. 14, due to leave Birmingham 5:30 p. m., arrive Decatur 8:30 p. m.

Warrior Branch—Between Monmouth and Warrior
All Sunday Passenger Train Service Discontinued

Between Birmingham and Praco
Train No. 36, due to leave Birmingham 9:25 a. m., arrive Praco 11:50 a. m.
Train No. 35, due to leave Praco 2:30 p. m., arrive Birmingham 4:55 p. m.

These trains will be operated daily except Sunday until further notice.

Discontinuance of "Birmingham and New Orleans Limited"
After Sunday, January 13th, Nos. 37 and 38 between Birmingham and Montgomery will be discontinued permanently, the last connection to leave Birmingham as No. 37 Sunday night the 13th, at 8:25 p. m., and the last connection as No. 38 to leave New Orleans Saturday night, the 12th.

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" Nov. 20, 1916 409,059.13.
" Nov. 20, 1915 320,034.31
" Nov. 20, 1914 250,308.87

SOCIETY

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COMPLIMENT TO MRS. ASHLEY SOWELL

Mrs. Gordon McDuff entertained two tables at cards Friday afternoon in compliment to Mrs. Ashley Sowell of Columbia, Tenn., who is the guest of Mrs. Lambert C. Mays. Those playing were Mesdames T. A. Caddell, Alex. Hamblin, Phil G. Christ, L. C. Mays, B. E. Prentiss, A. Sowell, G. McDuff, Miss Mary Penick. The honoree was presented the prize by the winner of the top score. A delicious fruit salad was served.

TO THE KNITTERS OF DECATUR RED CROSS

We have received a new shipment of yarns. Those desiring materials for knitting please call Tuesday and Fridays, between the hours of two and five.

Mrs. Harry Parker of Atlanta, is the expected guest of Mrs. John Pointer.

Continuous Watering Best.

Lucien Daniel, a French botanist has made some experiments with cabbage, chicory, lettuce, etc., which prove that they thrive far better by a system of continuous watering than by drenching the soil thoroughly every other day. As presented to the Academy of Sciences in Paris, consists of placing under each plant a large mouthed jar containing water, in which is dipped one end of a strip of linen or cotton whose other end lies near the plant. Mr. Daniel determined the exact amount of water required by any given plant for its best development.

Swiss Funeral Customs Odd.

The funeral customs of the Swiss are very peculiar. At the death of a person the family inserts a formal black-edged announcement in the papers, asking for sympathy, and stating that the "mourning urn" will be exhibited during certain hours on a special day. In front of the house where the person died there is placed a little black table covered with black cloth, on which stands a black jar. Into this the friends of the family drop little black margined visiting cards, sometimes with a few words of sympathy on them. The urn is put on the table on the day of the funeral. Only men ever go to the church yard, and they generally follow the hearse on foot.

North Alabama is Hit by Blizzard

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RANGE EXPLODES

The range in the home of Will R. Nelson, on Johnson street, exploded this morning, as the result of the freeze. More than an hour after the fire had been kindled, the steam which formed when the frozen coils warmed up expanded and forced its way out. A piece of the flying range sailed through a window, while another piece drove its way out through the door. Mr. Nelson, who was just entering the kitchen, had a narrow escape from injury, a piece of flying iron knocking a coal scuttle from his hand.

EARS ARE FROZEN

A boy whose ears had been frozen by the intense cold hurried into the Preuit-Dillehay drug store this morning and called for restoratives. His ears were white and he was suffering great pain. He had been out for sometime in the cold. He was given relief, but will probably have that itching sensation about his lobes throughout the remainder of the winter.

GAS FREEZES UP

The gas pipes failed to withstand the severe cold, and in consequence many persons who cook with gas were called on to make different arrangements about cooking breakfast.

At the Daily office the gas that is used to heat the metal for the diminutive furnace in connection with the linotype or typesetting machine, failed to burn, and in consequence hand composition was necessary. This explains the rather ragged appearance of today's paper, as all newspaper offices that are equipped with Mergenthalers are hard hit when these go out of action.

ECONOMICS IN THE BIBLE

Everlasting Truth to Be Found in One of the Injunctions Laid Down By Christ.

There is a vast deal of sound economics in the new testament, says a writer in the American Magazine. Be selfish nobly. "Love thy neighbor as thyself." When Christ said that, he set it down as an everlasting truth that man must love himself in order to achieve anything at all in this world, and that the attempt to love another as he does himself is to struggle toward an ideal.

Moreover, when he told the rich young man to give all he had to the poor, he issued the command not because he despised money and the things money symbolizes, but because he saw that this particular young man was a waster, one who "couldn't stand prosperity," and that the use of his money harmed him instead of helping him. There were "quarter horses" 2,000 years ago, just as there are "quarter horses" today.

To be selfish in a fine way is to carry out one's highest destiny. That is real philosophy. It is also real common sense. Why is a man put into the world if it is not to make the best of himself, to improve himself, to impress himself on his community and his world? That is just what he is intended to do.

And he does it in two ways: The first is by his acquisitiveness, his power to get things; it matters not whether what he gets is money, or learning, or power of eloquence, or the serenity of lofty thought. The second is by using properly what he has got whether it is money, or learning, or power. And if he does use it properly he is on sure ground. To use it properly means that he uses it for his own good and, incidentally, for the good of others, that he wastes it neither in foolish living nor in extravagant living, and, above all, that he uses it so that it increases even while it is being used, so that, in the end, he always grows in power and self-sufficiency.

Go to Sunday School Tomorrow

Cleanliness is next to Godliness; sweep off the snow and go to Sunday School.

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Mrs. Payne's bible class, of the Westminster Presbyterian Church.

Good Resolution Didn't Last.

When Nathaniel Ripple was just a youngster he did very little work about the place. In fact he didn't do anything. But one day, when he was almost ten years of age, he decided to take some of the work off his mother's shoulders. When breakfast was over he ordered his mother to the front porch. He was going to wash the dishes for her. When they were finished he called her to look at them, and she was very much surprised. She could hardly believe that he had done all that work by himself. Then he told her that he was going to wash them for her every meal. Of course she was glad, and she told him he might run out and play. Him play? Not a bit of it. He took the broom and swept every floor in the house. Mrs. Ripple, who is a very truthful woman, said that he swept them just as good as she could have done it herself. He then informed her that he was going to sweep them for her every day. That was the last time Nathaniel ever washed the dishes or swept the floors.—Claude Callan in Kansas City Star.

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Thursday, January 17th, 1918.

Mr. J. M. Browning, at Albany Board of Commerce, 7:30 p. m.

H. S. Mobley, Somewhere in South Albany.

Mrs. Adda F. Howie, Austinville School House 7:30 p. m.

Friday, January 18th, 1918

H. S. Mobley will address Albany High School Friday morning

Antioch School, Somerville Pike, 7 p. m.

Mrs. Adda F. Howie, Albany Y. M. C. A., 3 p. m. This meeting especially for ladies' Subject: "The Building of a Home."

Mt. Zion School House, Moulton Pike, 7 p. m.

J. W. Browning, Pleasant Hill School House, Moulton Pike, 7 p. m.

Saturday, January 19th, 1918

Meetings will be arranged for all the speakers at some convenient place in Albany.

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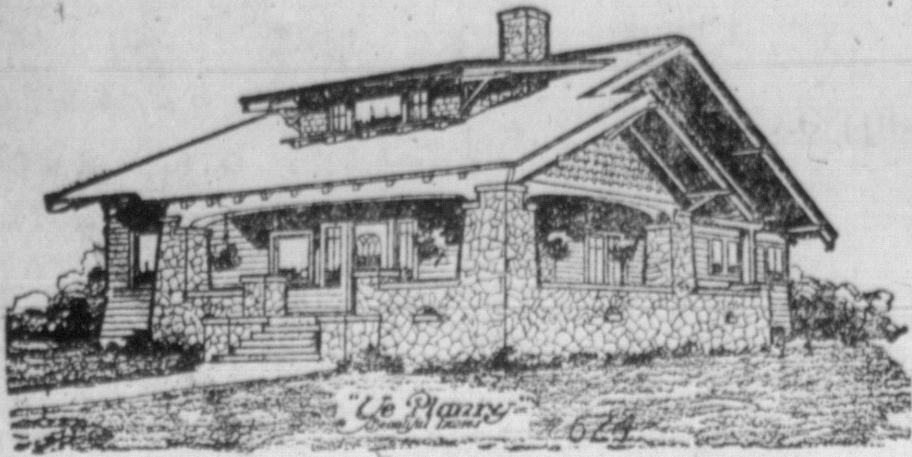
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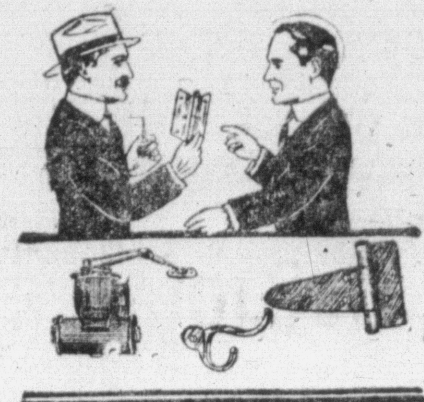
There is not a city, town or village in the United States that is not increasing in population and the larger a town grows the more valuable land becomes. Lots increase in price faster than the average citizen can comprehend, usually their enhancement is not realized until the price becomes prohibitive for the man of moderate means. Now is the time foresight should be exercised—buy and build when land is cheap.

Another point must be considered—namely, the increase of our population by immigration from foreign countries after the ending of the great war. Students of this question estimate that America's population will increase at least fifteen per cent in five years, every section of our country will bear its part of the increase.

Foreigners buy homes. It's an opportunity denied them in their native land. That is one of the reasons they journeyed to our country. Let us cite an example: A census was taken recently in a tax collector's office of a western city; out of fifty foreigners paying taxes on homes, thirty had been in the United States eight years, twelve 6 years, and eight 4 years and less. They had made most of their opportunities, exercised foresight, self denial and patience. Had they any regrets? No! Everyone was proud to be a home-owner in good old U. S. A.

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